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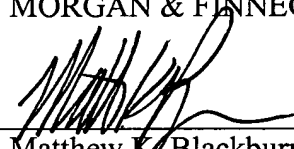
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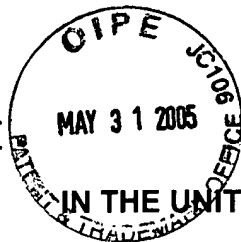
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On February 5, 2004, Applicant filed a patent application which was accorded U.S. Serial No. 10/774,254 and a filing date of February 5, 2004.

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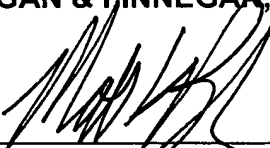
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